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WANTED, A POSITION AS BOOK-keeper, shipping clerk, or any kind of office work, except typewriting, NEED-FUL, care this paper.

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SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE.

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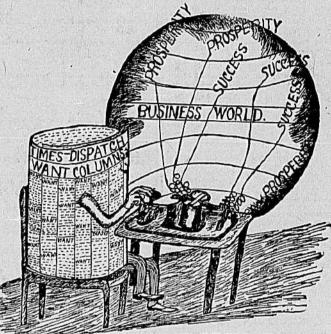
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plainly on back of drawing. Do not send letters, but inclose stamp if you wish drawing returned. Do not fold, but roll, when mailing. Address all drawings to "Cartoon Contest," Room No. 17, Times Building.
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Every reader is cordially invited to take part in this highly instruc-

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stenographer; experience and best ref-erences; would work for small salary. Address M. J. M., care Times-Dispatch.

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RARE OPPORTUNITY TO BUY ONE of the best galoons in the city—BROWN'S CAFE; business last year, \$29,000, Call or write to-day for particulars. J. P. BROWN.

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FLAT FOR RENT-THREE ROOMS and kitchen, at reasonable price; 15 N. Ninth Street.

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TWO GENTLEMEN OR A MARRIED couple to occupy furnished room; select table beard; private family; first floor; No. 506 East Grace Street.

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FOR SALE-GOOD PRINTING OFFICE (2 presss) complete; good location; doing big business and publishing a paying weekly paper; thorough investigation solicited; rare chance. MELVILLE DANIELS, Room 17. Times Building.

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WANTED—BLOCK BRICK DWEL-lings, \$15,000 to \$20,000; also centrally located Dwelling with stable, \$2,000 to \$3,500. J. THOMPSON BROWN &

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FINE ASSORTMENT OF GO-CARTS; old ones taken in part payments for now, OLD DOMINION WILLOW & RATTAN WORKS, 400 North Seventh Street.

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Pound Cakes are great sellers. Sorry se
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FOR SALE-2 1-LB. CANS OF BEEF for 25 cints; large cans Ham. Veal and Beef Loaf, 8 cents each, at GEO. L. HAYNES', 118 North Eighteenth Etreet. FURNITURE.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

SALTED PECANS AT KAEMPF'S. DAVIS' FOR PHOTOS AND PORTRAITS WHERE IS THE BIG HALF-PRICE sale of Planos and Organs now going on? At FERGUSSON BROS., 815 East Broad.

DAVIS' GALLERIES, 817 AND 222 E.

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OLD FASHIONED MOLASSES TAFFY at KAEMPF'S. WE WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT ALL our repairing of watches, clocks and jewelry a fully guaranteed. SMITH & WEBSTER, 225 E. Main Street.

8 PLUGS OF OLD PEACH, GRAPE Plum, Sweet Briar and Reynolds Sun-Cured Tobacco, for 25 cents. GEO. L. HAYNES & CO., 113 N. Eighteentth

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SAVE MONEY BY BUYING YOUR WOOD at H. S. URBAN'S. Sawed pine, \$4.50 and \$5.75; oak wood, \$6. Bowe and Marshall Streets. Old 'phone 1320.

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in best manner, your old Hair Mattresses made over like new or a nice,
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to JACOB UMLAUFS, No. 705 West
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please you. He will also pack and ship
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WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY repaired at very lowest prices. J. WEINSTEIN, 1501 E. Main Street. VALENTINES.

FOR IC. AT TOMPKINS', NO. 311 W. Broad. Toys, Bicycles and Repairs.

WANTED-500 GIRLS. TO TRY OUR ITALIAN OLD-FASH-loned Cream Chocolates, MARCHETTY BROS. STORES, 908 East Main and 617 East Broad.

WANTED—ANY ONE WISHING PRI-vate dancing lessons will please address for particulars POLLY, care this office.

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OLD HOMESTEAD VINEGAR, FULL quart bottle, 10c.; fine old Virginia country Shoulders, old Virginia Sor-ghum. GEO. L. HAYNES, 118 North Eighteanth Street.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. WHERE IS FERGUSSON BROS. NEW store? Why the big three-story build-ing at 11 West Broad. When does the grand opening take place? Next Tues-day, February 10th.

PICKLES.

LARGE JARS OF CHOW-CHOW. SOME-thing good, 10 cents; quart jars of Sweet Mixed Pickles for 10 cents; First-class Mixed Pickles, 50 cents per gallon; large Sour Pickles, 20 cents per gallon, GEO. L. HAYNES & CO., 113 North Eight-eenth Street.

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FURTHER YOUR INTERESTS

DISMISSED THE CHARGE

Health Committee is Satisfied

As forecastedin The Times-Dispatch yesterday the Committee on Health last night, on recommendation of a subcomnittee, dismissed the charges of incompetency against Mr. James E. O'Grady, clerk to the Board of Health. The vote

clerk to the Beard of Health. The vote was practically unanimous, Mr. Sheppard, however, asking that he be recorded as voting against the motion. It will be remembered that some two weeks or more ago City Accountant Cariton McCarthy, familiarly known about the City Hall as the "Live Wire." appeared before the Health Committee and preferred charges of incompetency against Mr. O'Grady, As a result Messrs, Curtis, O'Neil and Satterfield were named as a special committee to investigate the accusation.

Wednesday night these gentlemen held an exceptive session at which time both Messrs, McCarthy and O'Grady were heard at some length. The body, after againing the books of the office, advantal report has been completed.

At the meeting the following letter from Dr. Oppenhimer, president of the Charth, Shaat he contended the neeting to the records in the controversy. The communication, which sineaks for litedit, follows:

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journed without formulating a report, but it was learned that the gentlemen were unanimously in favor of dismissing the charges. FEW CLERICAL ERRORS.

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Last night, under the head of reports from special committees, Captain W. H. Curtis made a statement in regard to the McCarthy-O'Crady controversy, He said that the subcommittee had examined the books of the Health Department carefully, and only a few derical errors were found, as a result of which he moved that the charges be dismissed and Mr. O Grady retailed.

By ah age and nay vote the motion was seemingly overwhelmingly adopted, after which Mr. Sheppard asked that he be recorded as voting no. This was done, and the incident is closed so far as the Health Committee is concerned.

DR. OPPENHIMER'S LETTER.

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by Mr. O'Grady. It is correct in every Very truly,
W. T. OPPENHIMER,
President Board of Health.

ROUTINE BUSINESS.

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Saperintendent Cohn, of the Street Clearing Department, recommended that the employes of the street force be required to purchase uniforms. After much debate, in which many views were expressed as to the proposition, the matter was inid on the table. was laid on the table.

A petition from the Dixle Manufacturing Company that their contract to take care of all dead horses, which expires in Octoler, be extended for a space of two years, received a favorable report. It is stated that the concern contemplates enlarging its plant and want the contract extension as a protection against lots.

On motion of Mr. Shea the committee decided that in the future all bills against the department must be presented monthly and not later than noon on the first day of each month.

On unction of Mr. Hicks, the date of meeting for the committee were fixed as the lat and leth of each month.

The Stable Committee was authorized to purchase feed in the open market. A subcommittee was appointed to investigate the advisability of establishing a wagon repair department, Messrs. Cotirell, Seay and Sheppard being named by the Chair. It is stated that the repair bill last year amounted to over \$3,000.

Violets one dollar per hundred at Mann

CONTEST TO BE LIVELY

The Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will convene in Roanoke next Tuesday afternoon, and will probably be in session about three days. The session will probably be lively, as there is an interesting contest for the office of supreme representative between Mr. D. J. Turner, or sentative between Mr. D. J. Turner, of Norfolk, who has held the office for more than twenty years, and Mr. Ernest L. Cunningham, of Newport News.

Usually the most spirited contest is for the position of grand outer guard, which is the point from which those in the line of grand officers start, but this year it is conceded that Mr. Richard H. Mann, of Petersburg, is easily the strong-est candidate.

lodges have made for themselves during the past two years.

AT THE FOUNTAIN.
ORANGE PHOSPHATES,
LEMON PHOSPHATES,
WILD CHERRY PHOSPHATES,
THE BEST AND FINEST
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WHAT FIRM IS SELLING SO MANY Planos and Organs that they are compelled to move into their large threatory building (No. 11 West Broad) in order to have enough room? Why, FERGUSSON BROS., who are now at \$15 East Broad.

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AN ENGLISHMAN WITH MANY years' experience in the management of estates in America would be glad to undertake the improvement of property in Richmond. Address Box 200, city.

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the past two years.

The present grand chancellor is Hon.

James W. Gordon, of this city, who will
be succeeded by Hon. George C. Cabell,

Jr., of Danville, who is the present grand
vice-chancellor. The other officers in the
line will almost certainly be advanced,
except the grand master of exchecquer,
who is Major T. L. Courtney, of this
city: the grand keepes of exceeded and The Knights of Pythias to Meet in Roanoke Tuesday, of the Easiern Shore, but now stationed

Dr. Guthrie Coming,

Dev. Donald Guthrie, of Baltimore, will reach Richmond this afternoon and will be the guest of Rev. Robert P. Kerr, D. D., No. 418 West Grace Street. He will fill the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church Sunday, both morning and night.

Mann, of Petersburg, is easily the strongest candidate.

Last year, when the Grand Lodge met in this city, Mr. Mann was a candidate for the same position and was defeated by a few votes in a spirited, but exceedingly friendly contest, by Major B. J. Warren, of Potrsmouth, and is regarded as the logical man for the place this year, especially in view of the fact of the magnificent record that the Fetersburg

NUMBER THIRTEEN IS ON EVERY HAND

Conductor that is Completely Surrounded by the Unlucky Symbol.

Main Street line of the Virginia Passen-ger and Power Company, is up against a number that he is datching with apprehension. A few days ago the Passenger and Power company issued a new badge to their men, and the number thirteen was consigned to Mr. Bowles.

Mr. W. D. Bowles, a conductor on the

He appeared at the sheds Tuesday as usual and was handed an envelope containing his badge, which was the above number. The men began to joke him about the unlucky number, some saying that they would resign before they would wear a cap with the unlucky number. Mr. Bowles is not a believer in signs and unlucky numbers, and began his day's work with the new badge upon

his cap.

He decided, though, to keep a watch on the number and note results. In a conversation with a Times-Dispatch reporter yesterday he recounted the following in-

cidents that the number thirteen has all ready played a prominent part in:

"In the order of standing of conductors I am thirteen, my punch is number thirteen, also my book of transfers bears the same number.

"To-day my car was the thirteenth cas to leave the shed.

"On my first trip I received exactly thirteen transfers, and the next trip down town I collected thirteen fares. I am going to watch that number and will keep a diary of what happens to me while I am wearing badge No. 13. Since thinking of the number, I have also discovered that I am just twice thirteen years of age, and I am residing in 1300 block West Main Street.

A Valentine Tea. The Girls' Chapter of Holy Trinity

The Girls' Chapter of Holy Trinity Church will give a Valentine tea for sweet charity's sake at the residence of Mr. George Schoen, No. 328 Park Avenue, to-morrow evening from 5 to 11 o'clock. The pretty maids of Holy Trinity will dispense tea to all who come, and it is shoped as many sentemen will be present as can make it convenient.

The women of this church are doing a noble work among the poor, and have taken advantage of this season to increase their depleted treasury, that they may be enabled to carry on their work among the unfortunate.

PINK CARNATIONS.

35 cents per dozen: Roses, Cut Flowers, Violets, etc. Bouquets, Designs and Cut Flowers shipped to any point. W. A. HAMMOND, No. 107 East Broad Street.

With Mr. J. E. O'Grady.